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| AD No. | Information | Manufacturer | Applicability | | |
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| Info: E - Emergency; COR - Correction; S - Supersedes; R - Revision; - See AD for additional information; | | | | | |
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| 2003-23-05 | COR | Titeflex Corportation | Appliance: Titeflex hoses | | |
| 2003-24-13 | COR | Cessna Aircraft Company | 172R, 172S, 182S, 182T, T182T, 206H, and T206H | | |
| 2003-26-04 | | Agusta S.p.A. | Rotorcraft: A109E | | |
| 2003-26-06 | | Anjou Aeronautique | Appliance: Safety belts and restraint systems | | |
| 2003-26-14 | | Kiddie Aerospace | Appliance: Hand-held halon fire extinguishers | | |
| 2004-01-09 | | Eurocopter France | Rotorcraft: AS355E, F, F1, F2, and N | | |
| 2004-01-10 | | Eurocopter Deutschland | Rotorcraft: MBB-BK-117 A-1, A-3, A-4, B-1, B-2, and C-1 | | |
| 2004-01-14 | | Eurocopter France | Rotorcraft: EC130B4 | | |
| 2004-01-51 | E | Eurocopter France | Rotorcraft: AS355E, F, F1, F2, and N | | |
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| 2003-09-09 R1 | R | Cessna Aircraft Company | 441 and F406 | | |
| 2004-01-13 | S 97-22-16 | Raytheon Aircraft Company | 1900, 1900C, 1900 (C-12J), and 1900D | | |

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CESSNA AIRCRAFT COMPANY AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVE REVISION

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2003-09-09 R1 Cessna Aircraft Company: Amendment 39-13406; Docket No. 2002-CE-18-AD; Revises AD 2003-09-09; which superseded AD 2002-09-13, Amendment 39-12746.

(a) What airplanes are affected by this AD? This AD affects the following airplane models and serial numbers that are certificated in any category:

| Model | Serial numbers |
|-------|---------------------------|
| 441 | 0001 through 0362 and 698 |
| F406 | 0001 through 0089 |

- (b) Who must comply with this AD? Anyone who wishes to operate any of the airplanes identified in paragraph (a) of this AD must comply with this AD.
- (c) What problem does this AD address? The actions specified by this AD are intended to detect, correct, and prevent chafing and/or arcing fuel boost pump wiring, which could result in arcing within the wing fuel system. This condition could lead to ignition of explosive vapor within the fuel storage system.
- (d) What actions must I accomplish to address this problem? To address this problem, you must accomplish the following:

| Actions | Compliance | Procedures |
|--|-------------------------------------|----------------------|
| (1) For Model 441 airplanes: Inspect the | Initially inspect at whichever | Follow Cessna |
| part number (P/N) 5718106–1 wire | occurs later, unless already | Conquest Service |
| harness and fuel boost pump lead wires | accomplished: Within the next | Bulletin No.: CQB02- |
| for chafing or damage. | 200 hours time-in-service (TIS) | 1, Revision 2, dated |
| | after the last inspection required | October 7, 2002. |
| | by AD 2002–09–13 or within | |
| | the next 25 hours TIS after June | |
| | 24, 2003 (the effective date of | |
| | AD 2003–09–09). Repetitively | |
| | inspect thereafter at intervals not | |
| | to exceed 200 hours TIS. | |

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| | (2) For Model F406 airplanes: Inspect the P/N 5718106–4 wire harness and fuel boost pump lead wires for chafing or damage. | Initially inspect at whichever occurs later, unless already accomplished: within the next 25 hours TIS or 60 days after June 24, 2003 (the effective date of AD 2003–0–09). Repetitively inspect thereafter at intervals not to exceed 200 hours TIS. | Follow Reims/Cessna Caravan Service Bulletin No.: CAB02– 8, dated June 3, 2002. |
| | (3) If chafing or damage is found during any inspection required in paragraph (d)(1) or (d)(2) of this AD: (i) For Model 441 airplanes, replace the wire harnesses, repair fuel boost pump lead wires, or replace of fuel boost pump, as applicable (ii) For Model F406 airplanes, repair or replace the wire harnesses or lead wires, or fuel boost pump, as applicable | Before further flight after any inspection required in paragraphs (d)(1) and (d)(2) of this AD in which damage is found. If the improved design or repaired components are not installed per paragraphs (d)(3)(i), (d)(3)(ii), (d)(4)(i), and (d)(4)(ii), as applicable, then you must continue to repetitively inspect per paragraph (d)(1) or (d)(2) of this AD. | For Model 441 airplanes: Follow Cessna Conquest Service Bulletin No.: CQB02–1, Revision 2, dated October 7, 2002. For Model F406 airplanes: Follow Reims/Cessna Caravan Service Bulletin No.: CAB2–8, dated June 3, 2002. |
| | (4) Perform the installations of paragraph (d)(4)(i) or (d)(4)(ii) of this AD for Model 441 airplanes:. (i) Install improved design fuel boost pump (P/N 1C12–17 or FAA-approved equivalent P/N) and improved design wire harness (P/N 5718106–6 or FAA-approved equivalent P/N) (ii) Install the protective sleeving modification for boost pump lead wires that are not damaged or any lead wires that exhibit any chafing of the sleeve or outer jacket (iii) Installing both improved part numbers in each wing tank or protective sleeving modification for the existing fuel boost pump lead wires terminates the repetitive inspection requirements of paragraph (d)(1) of this AD | Within the next 400 hours TIS after June 24, 2003 (the effective date of AD 2003–09– 09), unless already accomplished. | Follow Cessna conquest Service Bulletin No.: CQB02– 1, Revision 2, dated October 7, 2002. |

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| (5) Perform the installation in either (d)(5)(i) or (d)(5)(ii) of this AD for Model F406 airplanes: (i) Install improved design fuel boost pump (P/N 1C12–17 or FAA-approved equivalent P/N) and improved design wire harness (P/N 406 28 01 or FAA-approved equivalent P/N) (ii) Install the protective sleeving modification for boost pump lead wires that are not damaged or any lead wires that exhibit any chafing of the sleeve or outer jacket must be modified by installing a protective sleeving over the boost pump lead wires | Within the next 400 hours TIS after June 24, 2003 (the effective date AD 2003–09–09), unless already accomplished. | Follow Reims/Cessna Caravan Service Bulletin No.: CAB02– 8, dated June 3, 2002. |
| (iii) Installing both improved part | | |
| numbers in each wing tank or protective | | |
| sleeving modification for the existing | | |
| fuel boost pump lead wires terminates | | |
| the repetitive inspection requirements | | |
| of paragraph (d)(2) of this AD | | |
| (6) Removing the following warnings for | As of June 24, 2003 (the | Not applicable. |
| Model 441 airplanes after compliance | effective date AD 2003–09–09). | |
| with Cessna Conquest Service Bulletin | | |
| No.: CQB02–1, Revision 2, dated | | |
| October 7, 2002: | | |
| (i) "PRIOR TO THE INITIAL | | |
| INSPECTION: THE AIRPLANE | | |
| SHOULD NOT BE OPERATED | | |
| WITH LESS THAN 300 POUNDS OF | | |
| FUEL IN EACH WING.'' (ii) "AFTER THE INITIAL | | |
| INSPECTION: THE AIRPLANE | | |
| SHOULD NOT BE OPERATED | | |
| WHENEVER THE LEFT OR RIGHT | | |
| LOW FUEL ANNUNCIATOR IS | | |
| ILLUMINATED | | |
| (7) Install only improved design wire | As of June 24, 2003 (the | Not applicable. |
| harnesses and fuel boost pumps as | effective date of AD 2003–09– | 11 |
| specified in paragraphs $(d)(4)$ and $(d)(5)$ | 09). | |

(e) Can I comply with this AD in any other way?

of this AD.

- (1) You may use an alternative method of compliance or adjust the compliance time if:
- (i) Your alternative method of compliance provides an equivalent level of safety; and
- (ii) The Manager, Wichita Aircraft Certification Office (ACO), approves your alternative. Submit your request through an FAA Principal Maintenance Inspector, who may add comments and then send it to the Manager, Wichita ACO.

(2) Alternative methods of compliance approved in accordance with AD 2003-09-09 or AD 2002-09-13 are approved as alternative methods of compliance for all inspection requirements of this AD. Regardless, you still must comply with the replacement requirements of this AD.

Note: This AD applies to each airplane identified in paragraph (a) of this AD, regardless of whether it has been modified, altered, or repaired in the area subject to the requirements of this AD. For airplanes that have been modified, altered, or repaired so that the performance of the requirements of this AD is affected, the owner/operator must request approval for an alternative method of compliance in accordance with paragraph (e) of this AD. The request should include an assessment of the effect of the modification, alteration, or repair on the unsafe condition addressed by this AD; and, if you have not eliminated the unsafe condition, specific actions you propose to address it.

- (f) Where can I get information about any already-approved alternative methods of compliance? Contact Robert Adamson, Aerospace Engineer, FAA, Wichita Aircraft Certification Office, 1801 Airport Road, Room 100, Wichita, Kansas 67209; telephone: 316-946-4145; facsimile: 316-946-4107.
- (g) What if I need to fly the airplane to another location to comply with this AD? The FAA can issue a special flight permit under §§ 21.197 and 21.199 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR 21.197 and 21.199) to operate your airplane to a location where you can accomplish the requirements of this AD.
- (h) *Are any service bulletins incorporated into this AD by reference?* Actions required by this AD must be done following Cessna Conquest Service Bulletin No.: CQB02-1, Revision 2, dated October 7, 2002; and Reims Cessna Caravan Service Bulletin No.: CAB02-8, dated June 3, 2002. The Director of the Federal Register previously approved this incorporation by reference under 5 U.S.C. 552(a) and 1 CFR part 51 on June 24, 2003 (68 FR 23186, May 1, 2003). You may get copies from Cessna Aircraft Company, Product Support, P.O. Box 7706, Wichita, Kansas 67277; telephone: (316) 517-5800; facsimile: (316) 942-9006. You may view copies at the FAA, Central Region, Office of the Regional Counsel, 901 Locust, Room 506, Kansas City, Missouri, or at the Office of the Federal Register, 800 North Capitol Street, NW., suite 700, Washington, DC.
- (i) *Does this AD action affect any existing AD actions?* This amendment revises AD 2002-09-13, Amendment 39-12746.
- (j) When does this amendment become effective? This amendment becomes effective on January 22, 2004.

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Manager, Small Airplane Directorate, Aircraft Certification Service.

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RAYTHEON AIRCRAFT COMPANY AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVE SMALL AIRCRAFT, ROTORCRAFT, GLIDERS, BALLOONS, & AIRSHIPS

2004-01-13 Raytheon Aircraft Company: Amendment 39-13427; Docket No. 2003-CE-16-AD; Supersedes AD 97-22-16, Amendment 39-10187.

When Does This AD Become Effective?

(a) This AD becomes effective on February 19, 2004.

What Other ADs Are Affected by This Action?

(b) This AD supersedes AD 97-22-16, Amendment 39-10187 (62 FR 58894, October 31, 1997).

What Airplanes Are Affected by This AD?

- (c) This AD affects the following airplane models and serial numbers that are:
- (1) certificated in any category; and
- (2) equipped with vent blower assembly, part number 114-380028-1, 114-380028-3, 114-380028-5, or 114-380028-7.

| Model | Serial numbers | |
|--------------|---|--|
| 1900 | UA-3. | |
| 1900C | UB-1 through UB-74 and UC-1 through UC-174. | |
| 1900 (C-12J) | UD-1 through UD-6. | |
| 1900D | UE-1 through UE-427. | |

What Is the Unsafe Condition Presented in This AD?

(d) This AD is the result of reports that vent blower assemblies modified in accordance with AD 97-22-16 are still malfunctioning. The actions specified in this AD are intended to prevent smoke from entering the cockpit and cabin due to the current configuration of vent blower assemblies, which could result in the pilot becoming incapacitated or impairing his/her judgment. This condition could lead to the pilot not being able to make critical flight safety decisions and result in loss of control of the airplane.

What Must I Do To Address This Problem?

(e) To address this problem, you must do the following:

| Actions | Compliance | Procedures |
|--|--|---|
| (1) Check the maintenance records to determine if a part number (P/N) 114–380028–1, 114–380028–3, 114–380028–5, or 114–380028–7 ventilation blower assembly is installed. | Within the next 800 hours time- in-service (TIS) after February 19, 2004 (the effective date of this AD), unless already done. | Follow Raytheon Aircraft Mandatory Service Bulletin SB 21– 3448, Issued: October, 2002. The owner/operator holding at least a private pilot certificate as authorized by section 43.7 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR 43.7) may perform this check. |
| (2) If, by checking the maintenance records, the owner/operator can definitely show that a P/N 114–380028–1, 114–380028–3, 114–380028–5, or 114–380028–7 ventilation blower assembly is not installed, no further action is required by this AD. Make an entry into the aircraft records showing compliance with this portion of the AD in accordance with section 43.9 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR 43.9). | Prior to further flight after the maintenance records check required in paragraph (e)(1) of this AD. | The owner/operator holding at least a private pilot certificate as authorized by section 43.7 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR 43.7) may make this entry. |
| (3) If, by checking the maintenance records, the owner/operator can definitely show that a P/N 114–380028–1, 114–380028–3, 114–380028–5, or 114–380028–7 ventilation blower assembly is installed, do the following for each P/N:. (i) P/N 114–380028–1: modify following Raytheon Service Bulletin No. 2721, Issued: January, 1997, prior to incorporating Electromechanic Technologies Modification Kit No. P/N 630–203–01 and changing the P/N to 114–380028–11. (ii) P/N 114–380028–3: incorporate Advanced Industries Modification Kit No. P/N BC80A–901–3 and change the P/N to 114–380028–9. (iii) P/N 114–380028–5 with a serial number (S/N) of 2162 or above or with a S/N of 2162 with an "A" suffix: no modification is required. Change the P/N to 114–380028–11 and make an entry into the aircraft records that shows compliance with this portion of the AD in accordance with section 43.9 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR 43.9). (iv) P/N 114–380028–5 with a S/N prior to 2162 without an "A" suffix: incorporate Electromechanic Technologies Modification Kit No. P/N 630–203–01 and change the P/N to 114–380028–11. (v) P/N 114–380028–7: incorporate Advanced Industries Modification Kit No. P/N BC80A–901–3 and change the P/N to 114–380028–9. | Do all modifications prior to further flight after the maintenance records check required in paragraph (e)(1) unless already done. | Following Raytheon Aircraft Mandatory Service Bulletin SB 21– 3448, Issued: October, 2002, and Raytheon Service Bulletin No. 2721, Issued: January, 1997. |

| (4) If the owner/operator cannot definitely show | Inspect within | Follow Raytheon Aircraft |
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| that a P/N 114-380028-1, 114-380028-3, | the next 800 | Mandatory Service Bulletin SB 21- |
| 114–380028–5, or 114–380028–7 ventilation | hours TIS after | 3448, Issued: October, 2002, and |
| blower assembly is installed through the | February 19, | Raytheon Service Bulletin No. |
| maintenance records check, an appropriately- | 2004 (the | 2721, Issued: January, 1997. |
| rated mechanic must do an inspection to | effective date of | - |
| determine the P/N of the installed ventilation | this AD). Do all | |
| blower assembly and do the applicable | modifications | |
| modification required in paragraphs (e)(3)(i), | prior to further | |
| (e)(3)(ii), (e)(3)(iii), (e)(3)(iv), and (e)(3)(v) | flight. | |
| of this AD. | | |
| (5) Do not install any P/N 114–380028–1, 114– | As of February | Follow Raytheon Aircraft |
| 380028-3, 114-380028-5, or 114-380028-7 | 19, 2004 (the | Mandatory Service Bulletin SB 21- |
| ventilation blower assembly, unless it has | effective date of | 3448, Issued: October, 2002, and |
| been modified as specified in paragraphs | this AD). | Raytheon Service Bulletin No. |
| (e)(3)(i), (e)(3)(ii), (e)(3)(iii), (e)(3)(iv), and | | 2721, Issued: January, 1997. |
| (e)(3)(v) of this AD. | | • |

May I Request an Alternative Method of Compliance?

- (f) You may request a different method of compliance or a different compliance time for this AD by following the procedures in 14 CFR 39.13.
- (1) Send your request to the Manager, Wichita Aircraft Certification Office (ACO), FAA. For information on any already approved alternative methods of compliance, contact Dan Withers, Aerospace Engineer, Wichita Aircraft Certification Office, FAA, 1801 Airport Road, Wichita, Kansas 67209; telephone: (316) 946-4196; facsimile: (316) 946-4107.
- (2) Alternative methods of compliance approved in accordance with AD 97-22-16, which is superseded by this AD, are not approved as alternative methods of compliance with this AD.

Does This AD Incorporate Any Material by Reference?

(g) You must do the actions required by this AD following the instructions in Raytheon Aircraft Mandatory Service Bulletin SB 21-3448, Issued: October, 2002, and Raytheon Aircraft Mandatory Service Bulletin No. 2721, Issued: January, 1997. The Director of the Federal Register approved the incorporation by reference of this service bulletin in accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552(a) and 1 CFR part 51. You may get a copy from Raytheon Aircraft Company, 9709 E. Central, Wichita, Kansas 67201-0085; telephone: (800) 429-5372 or (316) 676-3140. You may review copies at FAA, Central Region, Office of the Regional Counsel, 901 Locust, Room 506, Kansas City, Missouri 64106; or at the Office of the Federal Register, 800 North Capitol Street, NW., suite 700, Washington, DC.

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